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FM AMEMBASSY RANGOON

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 6821

INFO AMEMBASSY NEW DELHI

AMEMBASSY KATHMANDU

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SUBJECT: BURMESE- INDIAN CIVIL AIR AGREEMENT

REF: (A) NEW DELHI 5872 (B) RANGOON 1135

QM ACCORDING TO INDIAN EMBOFF, NEW BURMESE- INDIAN CIVIL AIR AGREE-
MENT WAS INITIALLED EVENING OF MAY 31 IMMEDIATELY BEFORE DEPARTURE
OF INDIAN CIVIL AVIATION DELEGATION WHICH ARRIVED RANGOON
MAY 23. INDIAN EMBASSY SOURCE DESCRIBED SUBSTANCE OF AGREEMENT
AS COMPLETE CONCESSION BY GOI TO BURMESE DESIRES, MOTIVATED BY
POLITICAL RATHER THAN CIVIL AVIATION CONSIDERATIONS.

2. AGREEMENT GIVES BURMA LANDING AND TRAFFIC RIGHTS RANGOON-
CALCUTTA- KATHMANDU AND RANGOON- CALCUTTA- DELHI AND ONWARDS. INDIA
RETAINS LANDING RIGHTS AT RANGOON AND OVERFLIGHT RIGHTS, BAFT
WAS UNSUCCESSFUL IN ATTEMPT TO SECURE EXEMPTION FROM PRESENT
PRACTICE THAT FOREIGN AIRLINES MUST APPOINT BURMA AIRWAYS CORP-
ORATION AS GENERAL AGENT. ACCORDING TO INDIAN EMBASSY, PRESENT
ONCE- WEEKLY INDIAN AIRLINES RANGOON- CALCUTTA SERVICE IS HEAVILY
UNPROFITABLE PARTLY FOR THIS REASON.

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EM INDIAN EMBOFF SAID GUB INDICATED NO IMMEDIATE PLANS TO
SERVE DELHI BUT SERVICE TO DELHI AND KABUL AND/ OR TEHERAN MAY BE
CONTEMPLATED AFTER BAC ACQUIRES A SECOND BOING 727, PERHAPS
LATER THIS YEAR.
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